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MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant to the Director

SUBJECT : Items the Select Committee Might Help
Us With

a. More precise legislation regarding the protection of sources and methods which will give us the authority to ensure such protection. (Right now the Director has the responsibility but little authority for executing it.)

b. More explicit legislation permitting us investigative authorities, i.e., on US citizens in the United States regarding not only security approvals for potential employees and associates but also to investigate unauthorized disclosures of classified information (leaks);

c. Facilitate our ability to protect classified information under the Freedom of Information Act as amended;

d. Facilitation of our procurement and black contracting capability.

e. Acknowledgment of DCI's peculiar authorities for certification of expenditures and internal audit.

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for
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